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I-94 Business Loop (Michigan Avenue)

Rehabilitation

Jackson County

Construction and Motorist Information

April – September 2011

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What Is Being Done?

Starting in April, repairs will take place along a 2.4-mile stretch of I-94 Business Loop (BL), or Michigan Avenue, in Jackson. Construction will stretch from Brown Street west to the M-60 interchange, and will include work on a detention pond along the east side of the interchange as a way to improve water quality in the area.

Road resurfacing will take place between Brown Street to just east of Robinson/Wildwood. This work is expected to take place between early April and early July.

Between Robinson/Wildwood and M-60, the road will be widened to add a center turn lane, along with drainage work, curb and gutter improvements, and reconstruction of the Robinson/Wildwood intersection. Construction in this phase is expected to start after the Fourth of July holiday weekend and be completed by mid-September.

The project also includes traffic signal upgrades at Robinson/Wildwood, Laurence Avenue and

Brown Street. Approximately 2,000 feet of new sidewalk will be added along each side of Michigan Avenue near the Westwood Mall.

As part of a separate project, MDOT will repair the M-60 bridge over I-94 BL, keeping one lane open in each direction with a traffic shift from July to November.

When Will This Be Done?

This project begins in April with all work expected to be complete in mid-September.

How Will Traffic Be Affected?

During construction, construction will take place in stages to minimize the disruption to motorists, residents and business owners.

Resurfacing between Brown Street and Robinson/Wildwood will be done at night with traffic detoured via West Avenue, Ganson Street and Robinson Road.

Work on curb and gutter, sidewalk and shoulders along this section of Michigan Avenue will be done during daytime hours, with one lane of traffic maintained in each direction. Work at the Laurence Avenue intersection also will be done during the day with a traffic shift.

During reconstruction work between Robinson/Wildwood and M-60, one lane of traffic will be maintained in each direction with a traffic shift. The Robinson/Wildwood intersection work will take place on weekends, with traffic detoured via Laurence Avenue and Wildwood Avenue.

Long-term Benefits

MDOT's 2011 road and bridge program supports the creation of jobs, growth of the economy, preservation of the environment and the safety and security of the transportation system.

